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# Taylor Gardens

Gladiolus

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Ware, Massachusetts

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*Greetings.....*

No, there has been but little change in our prices; this is due entirely because there has been no change in the high quality bulbs we have to offer.

Deeply appreciated last season were the many letters we received from those of you who wrote stating the success encountered with our bulbs. This year our bulbs are sure to be as dependable to you new customers as they have been to those who have purchased from us in years past.

For those of you who grow gladiolus for the pleasure derived from gladiolus, we especially call your attention to our Unlabeled Collection, No. 1.

All our bulbs are grown on upland sandy soil.

Guarantee: Our bulbs are guaranteed to be as they are advertised. True to name, free from all disease and insect pests.

Terms: Either cash with order or twenty-five percent, the rest C. O. D. We accept no orders for less than \$1.00 All retail orders will be sent prepaid. Discounts: 5 percent on all orders from \$3 to \$5, 10 percent on all orders from \$5 to \$10.

If out of size wanted we will ship next size giving equal or better value. Remember, we are wholesalers not jobbers.

We strive to - and observe the fact the making of new friends and new customers is very essential to our business.

Sincerely yours,

Taylor Gardens

Ulysses N. Taylor

# SPRING 1941 ◆ TAYLOR GARDENS ◆ PREPAID BARGAIN LIST GLADIOLUS CHOICE BULBS

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Size of bulb shown by letter **L** meaning large,  $1\frac{1}{4}$ " and up; **M** meaning medium,  $\frac{3}{4}$ " to  $1\frac{1}{4}$ "; **S** meaning small,  $\frac{3}{8}$ " to  $\frac{3}{4}$ "; **Blts.** meaning bulblets. When number given before price, meaning number of bulbs. Example: 2 for 10c 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ -10c.

AFLAME,	large tall flame red, very nice bloomer.....	<b>L</b> 4c 4-12
ALBATROSS,	large tall white, 6-8 open, an old variety but many growers are going back to it. <b>L</b> 3c 4-12 <b>M</b> 4-10 <b>S</b> 12-10	
AVE MARIA,	light blue, purple blotch, 4-6 open, all around blue. <b>L</b> 5c 4-15 <b>M</b> 5-10 <b>S</b> 10-10	
AIDA,	early dark violet blue, large bloom, tall spike.....	<b>L</b> 4c 3-10
AMERICAN COMMANDER,	a new tall clear lustrous red without any marking. I am sure this glad will go places.....	<b>M</b> \$1.00 <b>S</b> 60c <b>Blts.</b> 3-20
BEAUTIFUL OHIO,	new shade rose lavender.....	<b>S</b> 10c <b>Blts.</b> 5-10
BERTY SNOW,	large lavender with lighter throat, well liked by the florists <b>L</b> 4c 4-12 <b>M</b> 6-16 <b>S</b> 12-10	
BEOWULF,	good late blooming lavender with fine spike.....	<b>L</b> 35c <b>M</b> 20 <b>Blts.</b> 6-25
BILL SOWDEN,	large deep blood red, one that is very beautiful <b>L</b> 5c 3-12 <b>M</b> 6-12 <b>S</b> 10-10 <b>Blts. pkg.</b> 15	
BLEEDING HEART,	white, tinted pink, with large red blotch, becoming very popular commercially .....	<b>L</b> 4c 4-12 <b>M</b> 6-10 <b>S</b> 10-10
CASSANDRA,	reddish white with deep blotch, very odd.....	<b>L</b> 5c 3-12 <b>M</b> 6-10
CLARION,	nice early yellow, comes right for the florists.....	<b>L</b> 3c 4-10 <b>M</b> 6-10 <b>S</b> 12-10
COMMANDER KOEHL,	large massive clear blood red, tall spike. <b>L</b> 5c 3-10 <b>M</b> 6-10 <b>S</b> 12-10	
CHANOIS,	tall buff yellow, fine flower for exhibitions, many open at one time <b>M</b> 10c <b>S</b> 3-10 <b>Blts.</b> 6-10	
CHEROKEE,	very early salmon pink, red blotch, large exhibition type <b>L</b> 10c 3-20 <b>M</b> 5 3-12 <b>S</b> 6-12 <b>Blts.</b> 20 <b>pkg.</b>	
CREVE COEUR,	a prize winning burnt orange, many open at a time on stalwart stem <b>L</b> 8c 3-20 <b>M</b> 620 <b>S</b> 6-10 <b>Blts.</b> 20 <b>pkg.</b>	
CONQUEST,	light salmon with a cream blotch, words cannot do this beautiful glad justice <b>M</b> 10c <b>Blts.</b> 10-10	
CONSTANCY,	early large rose lavender, one of the first to bloom. Coveted by florists <b>L</b> 4c 4-12 <b>M</b> 6-10 <b>S</b> 12-10	
CORONATION,	soft serene pink, cream throat.....	<b>L</b> 3c 4-12 <b>M</b> 8-10
DEBONAIR,	shrimp pink with cream throat, very sturdy flower, not very easily affected by inclement weather.....	<b>L</b> 4c 3-10 <b>M</b> 6-10 <b>S</b> 12-10
DR. BENNETT,	very brilliant scarlet, large bloom on tall spike.....	<b>L</b> 4c 3-10 <b>M</b> 6-10
DEL RAY,	light red, tall, large, this glad is receiving wide acclaim by commercial growers. Its solitary beauty and charm is ravishing.....	<b>M</b> 10c 2-15 <b>S</b> 3-10 <b>Blts.</b> 10-15
DOX,	one of the earliest and largest yellows, grows very tall, fine cut flower <b>L</b> 10c 2-15 <b>M</b> 4-15 <b>S</b> 8-15 <b>Blts.</b> 10-10	

<b>EARLY MELODY</b> , lavender pink, 5-6 bloom on tall spike.....	<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 5-10</b>	<b>S 10-10</b>
<b>EARLY PEACH</b> , somewhat peach red, blending ivory throat, very strong grower, nice cut flower .....	<b>L 5c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 6-10</b>	<b>S 10 pkg.</b> Blts. 5 pkg.
<b>EDITH ROBSON</b> , light pink with red splotch, fine cut flower.....	<b>L 5c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 5-10</b>	
<b>ELOISE</b> , clear dark lavender with a few darker lines in the throat, very desirable			<b>L 15c</b>	<b>M 10</b> S 2-10
<b>EUIDES</b> , ivory white, cream center, lightly flushed towards outside edge of petal with lilac pink, won many awards.....			<b>L 10c</b>	Blts. 5-15
<b>FLUTEA</b> , bright orange red, fluted.....	<b>M 5c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>S 6-10</b>	Blts. 12-10
<b>GATE OF HEAVEN</b> , beautiful ruffly deep yellow, medium height.....	<b>L 5c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 6-10</b>	<b>S 12-10</b>
<b>GLORIANA</b> , tall golden salmon, old variety but still going strong.....			<b>S 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b>
<b>GRAF ZEPPELIN</b> , early bright red, the first in its color to bloom....	<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 6-10</b>	<b>S 12-10</b>
<b>GOLDEN DREAM</b> , tall golden yellow.....			<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b> M 6-10
<b>GOLDEN LANCE</b> , tall vigorous commercial yellow, new type slightly red tinseled			<b>L 10c</b>	<b>M 2-10</b> S 3-10 Blts. 10-10
<b>HINEMOA</b> , rose with flaky brownish red, cream blotch on lower petals.....	<b>L 5c</b>		Blts. 5-10	
<b>HELEN PHIPPS</b> , a late deep pink.....	<b>L 4c</b>	<b>4-12</b>	<b>M 6-10</b>	<b>S 10-10</b>
<b>IRAK</b> , a gray sport of Bagdad, very nice glad.....	<b>L 10c</b>	<b>M 2-10</b>	<b>S 3-10</b>	Blts. 10-10
<b>JANET</b> , smoky rose, 4-5 open on medium stem.....			<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b> M 6-10
<b>J. S. BACH</b> , exhibition orange salmon, white stenciling on lower petal			<b>L 5c</b>	<b>M 3-10</b> S 6-10 Blts. 20 pkg.
<b>JUBILEE</b> , very large light lavender pink.....	<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 6-10</b>	<b>S 10-10</b> Blts. 25-10
<b>KING ARTHUR</b> , large deep lavender, heavily ruffled, this flower of an unusual distinct form and shade, one of the most unusual glads in existence, it has now been priced to fit the budget of flower lovers.....	<b>L 5c</b>	<b>3-12</b>	<b>M 6-15</b>	<b>S 10-15</b> Blts. 10 pkg.
<b>LA PALOMA</b> , long slender early orange, taut stem, as beautiful as the name implies			<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b> M 6-10 S 10-10
<b>LAVENDER DELIGHT</b> , fine lavender, exceptional for florists.....	<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 6-10</b>	
<b>LEONA</b> , large rose red, unique in beauty, new type flower.....			<b>S 10c</b>	Blts. 10-20
<b>LINDESTA</b> , pink with white margin, exhibition type.....	<b>L 5c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 5-10</b>	<b>S 10-10</b>
<b>LONDONDERRY</b> , large bronze orange, very strong grower....	<b>L 10c</b>	<b>M 2-10</b>	<b>S 3-10</b>	Blts. 10-10
<b>LUCIFER</b> , tall orange with dark blotch, very striking....	<b>L 5c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 5-10</b>	<b>S 10-10</b> Blts. 10 pkg.
<b>MAID OF ORLEANS</b> , outstanding graceful white, very popular			<b>L 5c</b>	<b>3-10</b> M 5-10 S 10-10
<b>MARGARET FULTON</b> , early beautiful rich salmon, very good flower, one of the best all-around glads .....	<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 5-10</b>	<b>S 10-10</b>
<b>MARMORA</b> , smoky gray, very much in demand by florists.....	<b>L 4c</b>	<b>3-10</b>	<b>M 5-10</b>	<b>S 10-10</b>
<b>MARY ANSTEEN</b> , deep begonia pink, upper throat cream flushed, blotch of soft red orange			<b>L 10c</b>	<b>3-25</b> M 3-15 S 3-10 Blts. 25 pkg.
<b>MAX REGER</b> , light lavender blue, dark throat marking tipped white, very much in demand			<b>L 5c</b>	<b>M 3-10</b> S 6-10 Blts. 20 pkg.

MILDRED LOUISE, strawberry pink, medium size.....	<b>L 5c M 3-10 S 6-10</b>	Blts. 20	pkg.
MISS GREELY, mid early flush pink.....	<b>L 4c 3-10 M 6-10</b>	Blts. 10	
MISS J. NATHAN, rose pink, cream in throat, 4-5 open at once	<b>L 10c M 2-10 S 3-10</b>	Blts. 15-10	
MONTENEGRO, very deep dark red, almost black, exceptional in its class	<b>L 5c 3-12 M 5-10 S 10-10</b>	Blts. 10	pkg.
MOROCCO, dark red, dazzling beauty.....	<b>L 4c 3-10 M 6-10</b>		
MOTHER MACHREE, smoky lavender, large flower, 6-8 open, dandy cut flower.....	<b>L 5c 3-10</b>		
MINUET, beautiful light pinkish lavender.....	<b>L 5c 3-10</b>		
NARISSA, fine light pink with scarlet blotch.....	<b>L 5c M 3-10 S 6-10</b>	Blts. 10	
NEW ERA, beautiful soft rose blended with La France pink, soft cream throat, heavily ruffled	<b>L 20c M 10 S 2-10</b>	Blts. 5-10	
NETHERLAND PRINCE, immense sparkling salmon, large flower head....	<b>L 5c 3-10 M 5-10</b>		
NINTH SYMPHONY, large scarlet red, slightly lighter in throat.	<b>L 20c M 15 S 10</b>	Blts. 10-10	
OEGANDA, mahogany, silky polished beauty.....	<b>L 20c M 15 S 10</b>	Blts. 3-10	
ORANGE QUEEN, apricot orange with red stenciling.....	<b>L 4c 3-10 M 6-10</b>		
PEGGY LOU, new bright rose, won several awards on show tables, great record for new flower	<b>S 10c</b>	Blts. 3-10	
PELEGRINA, large deep blue, 6 or more open.....	<b>L 5c 3-12 M 5-10 S 10-10</b>		
PICARDY, immense stem of large bloom, still king of them all, large salmon	<b>L 4c 4-10 M 6-10</b>	S 12-10	
PRIMROSE PRINCESS, very light yellow, one of the best commercial growers	<b>L 4c 3-10 M 5-10 S 10-10</b>		
PIRATE, deep purplish rose red, very showy.....	<b>L 5c 3-12 M 5-10 S 10-10</b>		
POLAR ICE, about the most popular early white....	<b>L 5c 3-10 M 5-10 S 10-10</b>	Blts. 25-10	
PHYLLIS McQUISTON, shrimp pink, shading lighter in throat, beautiful shade, heavy grower .....	<b>L 5c M 3-10 S 6-10</b>	Blts. 25-15	
QUEEN OF BREMEN, tall early lavender, fine for florists' work.....	<b>L 4c 3-10 M 6-10</b>		
RADIANCE, very early bright red, florists covet this fine flower... .	<b>L 5c 3-12 M 5-10 S 10-10</b>		
RAPTURE, medium light salmon, creamy yellow throat, strong tall grower, fine cut flower	<b>L 4c 3-10 M 6-10</b>	S 12-10	
RAMASSES, carmine violet, where beauty reigns, this flower grows, really looks like orchid	<b>L 10c M 2-10 S 4-10</b>	Blts. 10-10	
RED RUFFLE, beautiful ruffled red.....	<b>L 10c M 2-10 S 3-10</b>	Blts. 10-10	
ROBERT THE FIRST, ruffled rose purple, very vigorous plant, beautiful	<b>L 10c M 2-10 S 3-10</b>	Blts. 10-15	
ROSE MARIE PHITZER, peach cream, grows with very good placement, tall	<b>L 5c M 3-10</b>	Blts. 20-15	
RUFFLED GOLD, golden yellow, red throat.....	<b>L 4c 3-10</b>		
SATAN, ruffled velvety rose red, tall with many open blooms	<b>L 5c M 3-10 S 6-10</b>	Blts. 20-10	

**SCHWABEN GIRL**, geranium pink, carmine markings, tall stem  
L 4c 3-10 M 5-10 S 10-10 Blts. 15 pkg.

**SHIRLEY TEMPLE**, ruffled cream tall spike.....S 2-10 Blts. 10-10

**SMILING MAESTRO**, deep salmon rose, very classy, showy open bloom  
L 5c M 3-10 S 6-10 Blts. 15-20

**SO BIG**, deep rose pink with violet markings on lower petal, 6-8 immense blooms, outstanding  
L 25c M 15 S 2-15 Blts. 10-15

**SONATINE**, light pink, small diffused red feather, 4-5 large blooms open on all stem  
L 4c 3-10 M 6-10 S 12-10

**SPRAY OF GOLD**, very deep yellow, lightly ruffled.....L 4c 3-10 M 6-10 S 12-10

**TOYAN**, combination of red, orange and scarlet, exhibition type  
L 10c M 2-15 S 3-10 Blts. 10-15

**VALERIA**, dandy new light red, ruffled, tall straight spike.....L 35c M 20 S 10 Blts. 10-20

**WASAGA**, clear buff, nice flower for the florist.....L 4c 3-10 M 6-10 S 12-10

**WONDER GLORY**, slightly ruffled, cream with cerise stenciling, fine cut flower  
L 5c 3-12 M 6-10 S 10-10 Blts. 10 pkg.

**YAKIMA APRICOT**, orange to red apricot, tall graceful early glad  
L 10c M 2-10 S 3-10 Blts. 20 pkg.

**YVONNE**, blushed white with soft cerise blotch.....L 14c 3-10 M 5-10

**ZAUBERFLOTE**, medium early, peach rose, reddish blotch, one of the best blotched varieties  
L 10c M 3-15 S 5-10 Blts. 20-10

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	No. 1 Per 100— 1½-up	No. 2 1¼-1½	No. 3 1-1¼	No. 4 ¾-1	No. 5 ½-¾	No. 6 ¾-1½	Bulblets 1000	Qt.
ALBATROSS	\$2.40	\$1.70	\$1.40	\$1.20	\$0.95	\$0.75	\$0.75	
AVE MARIA	2.00	1.40	1.20	1.00	.80	.60	.75	
BERTY SNOW	1.80	1.60	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	.60	\$1.50
BLEEDING HEART	2.00	1.80	1.40	1.10	.85	.65	.45	1.25
CLARION	1.80	1.60	1.30	1.00	.80	.60	.60	1.50
COMMANDER KOEHL	2.25	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.40	1.10	.75	3.00
CONSTANCY	2.00	1.60	1.30	1.10	.90	.60	.65	2.50
DEBONAIR	1.50	1.20	1.00	.80	.60	.40	.60	1.75
EARLY MELODY	1.60	1.40	1.20	.90	.70	.50	.60	1.90
GLORIANNNA	1.50	1.30						
GRAF ZEPPELIN	2.25	2.00	1.80	1.25	1.00	.80	.90	2.25
KING ARTHUR	2.25	1.80	1.40	1.10	.90	.75	.65	2.00
LAVENDER DELIGHT	1.80	1.60	1.20	1.00				
LUCIFER	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	.75	1.00	3.00
MAID OF ORLEANS	1.70	1.50	1.00	.85	.65	.40	.50	1.50
MARGARET FULTON	1.50	1.20	.90	.70	.60	.40	.50	1.25
MARMORA	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
MAX REGER	4.50	3.50	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.50	
MONTENEGRO	2.50	2.25	2.00	1.75	1.25	1.00	1.00	
MOROCCO	1.60	1.40	1.00	.80			.50	1.00
MOTHER MACHREE	2.00	1.80						
MINUET	2.00	1.80						
ORANGE QUEEN	1.60	1.40						
PELEGIRINA	1.90	1.70	1.40	1.10	.90	.70	.50	
PICARDY	1.40	1.00	.80	.60	.50	.40	.40	1.25
PIRATE	2.00	1.80	1.50	1.20	1.00	.80	.50	
PRIMROSE PRINCESS	1.80	1.60	1.40	1.20	.90	.75	.50	1.50
POLAR ICE	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.30	1.00	.90	.50	1.50
RADIANCE	1.80	1.60	1.40	1.00	.80	.60	.40	1.25
RAPTURE	1.50	1.20	1.00	.80	.60	.40	1.00	1.20
RUFFLED GOLD	1.40	1.00						
SCHWABEN GIRL	2.50	2.30	2.00	1.80	1.20	.90	.65	2.00
SONATINE	1.20	1.00	.60	.40	.30	.20		
(Slightly mixed with Bagdad)								
SPRAY OF GOLD	2.10	1.90	1.70	1.00	.80	.60	.40	1.50
WASAGA	1.70	1.50	1.10	.80	.60	.40	.50	1.25
WONDER GLORY				1.50	1.30	1.10	.90	1.00
ZAUBERFLOTTE	7.50	6.50	5.50	4.00	3.00	2.50	3.00	

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usual discount.*

